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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor: Halbert *et al.* Confirmation No.: 3177  
 Application No.: 10/657,404 Group No.: 1653  
 Filed: September 8, 2003 Examiner: Hope A. Robinson  
 For: NON-NATURALLY OCCURRING LIPOPROTEIN PARTICLE

July 7, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

- This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two months to respond to the Office Action dated February 11, 2005.
- Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.
- Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):  

<u>Requested</u>	<u>Fee For Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee for Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$120.00	\$60.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months	\$450.00	\$225.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$1,020.00	\$510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,590.00	\$795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months*	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

☒ A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed.  
☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.  
☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,

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<p><b>CUSTOMER NO. 00826</b>  <b>ALSTON &amp; BIRD LLP</b>          Bank of America Plaza          101 South Tryon Street, Suite 4000          Charlotte, NC 28280-4000          Tel Raleigh Office (919) 862-2200          Fax Raleigh Office (919) 862-2260</p>	<p>"Express Mail" mailing label number EV 387068735 US          Date of Deposit July 7, 2005</p> <p>I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</p> <p><i>Lynda Jo Pixley</i>          Lynda Jo Pixley</p>
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